

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Shigenobu Nakamura et al.

Serial No: 10/599,532

Confirmation No. 1439

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For: Multi-Layer Piezoelectric Element and  
Method for Manufacturing the Same

Art Unit: Not assigned

Examiner: Not assigned

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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

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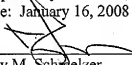
Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements, Filing Date Granted," dated November 20, 2007, response to which is due January 20, 2008, enclosed are the following:

☒ A "Declaration and Power of Attorney" executed by the inventor(s).

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
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